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IN THE CLAIMS

Please cancel claims 10, 23 and 30 without prejudice or disclaimer and amend the claims as follows:

1. (Previously Presented) A method of printing, comprising:

overriding a color designation for printing of a subset of a plurality of printable information units;

changing the color designation to a printing color designation wherein the color designation remains unchanged for display; and

printing the plurality of printable information units such that the subset is printed in accordance with the printing color designation.

- 2. (Previously presented) The method of claim 1, wherein overriding by changing the color designation for printing of the subset of the plurality of printable information units includes changing for printing a non-black color designation of the subset to a black color designation.
- 3. (Previously presented) The method of claim 1, wherein overriding by changing the color designation for printing of the subset of the plurality of printable information units is independent of a user input.
- 4. (Currently Amended) A method of printing, comprising:

displaying a plurality of printable information units of a text processing document, wherein a subset in the plurality of printable information units has a first color designation;

changing the first color designation for the subset to a second color designation for printing; and

sending the plurality of printable information units to a printer for printing in accordance with the second color designation.

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5. (Original) The method of claim 4, further comprising printing the plurality of printable information units.

- 6. (Original) The method of claim 4, wherein changing the first color designation for the subset to the second color designation includes changing from a non-black color designation for the subset to a black color designation.
- 7. (Original) The method of claim 4, wherein changing the first color designation for the subset to the second color designation is based on a user input.
- 8. (Currently Amended) A method of printing, comprising:

 designating a color of a subset of a plurality of displayed text for display;

 overriding the color by changing the color of the subset for printing; and

 sending the plurality of displayed text to a printer after said overriding;

 wherein changing the color of the subset for printing is based on a user identification.
- 9. (Original) The method of claim 8, wherein changing the color of the subset for printing includes changing from a non-black color designation of the subset to a black color designation.
- 10. (Canceled)
- 11. (Canceled)
- 12. (Previously presented) A computer readable medium having instructions stored thereon for causing a computer to perform a method comprising:

overriding a color designation for printing of a subset of a plurality of printable information units;

changing the color designation to a printing color designation wherein the color designation remains unchanged for display; and

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printing the plurality of printable information units such that the subset is printed in accordance with the printing color designation such that the subset is printed in accordance with the printing color designation.

- 13. (Previously presented) The computer readable medium of claim 12, wherein overriding by changing the color designation for printing of the subset of the plurality of printable information units includes changing for printing a non-black color designation of the subset to a black color designation.
- 14. (Previously presented) The computer readable medium of claim 12, wherein overriding by changing the color designation for printing of the subset of the plurality of printable information units is independent of a user input.
- 15. (Currently Amended) A computer readable medium having instructions stored thereon for causing a computer to perform a method comprising:

displaying a plurality of printable information units of a text processing document, wherein a subset in the plurality of printable information units has a first color designation:

overriding by changing the first color designation for the subset to a second color designation for printing; and

sending the plurality of printable information units to a printer in accordance with the second color designation.

- 16. (Original) The computer readable medium of claim 15, wherein changing the first color designation for the subset to the second color designation includes changing from a non-black color designation for the subset to a black color designation.
- 17. (Currently Amended) A computer readable medium having instructions stored thereon for causing a computer to perform a method comprising:

designating a color for display of a subset of a plurality of displayed text of a text processing document;

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overriding by changing the color for printing of the subset; and sending the plurality of displayed text to a printer after said overriding.

- 18. (Original) The computer readable medium of claim 17, wherein changing the color for printing of the subset includes changing from a non-black color designation of the subset to a black color designation.
- 19. (Currently Amended) A system, comprising:

an override module that receives a plurality of printable information units, each one of the plurality of printable information units having a display color designation, and overrides the display color designation to a printing color designation for printing of a subset of the plurality of printable information units; and

a printer, operatively coupled to the override module, that receives the plurality of printable information units and prints the plurality of printable information units in accordance with the printing color designation;

wherein the override module overrides the display color designation based on a user identification.

- 20. (Previously presented) The system of claim 19, wherein the display color designation is overridden from a non-black display color designation to a black printing color designation.
- 21. (Original) The system of claim 19, wherein the plurality of printable information units include a plurality of words.
- 22. (Previously presented) The system of claim 19, wherein the override module overrides the display color designation independent of a user input.
- 23. (Canceled)
- 24. (Currently Amended) A system comprising:

a display device that receives a plurality of printable information units of a text processing document and displays the plurality of printable information units, wherein a subset in the plurality of the printable information units has a first color designation;

an override module, operatively coupled to the display device, that receives the plurality of printable information units and changes the first color designation of the subset to a second color designation for printing; and

a printer, operatively coupled to the modification module, that receives the plurality of printable information units and prints the plurality of printable information units.

- 25. (Original) The system of claim 24, wherein the first color designation includes a nonblack color and the second color designation includes a black color.
- 26. (Original) The system of claim 24, wherein the override module identifies the subset based on a user input.
- 27. (Currently Amended) A computer system comprising:
- a computer having a plurality of printable information units, wherein a subset in the plurality of printable information units has a first color designation;
- a display device operatively coupled to the computer and capable of displaying the printable information units; and

an override module located in the computer, comprising machine readable instruction for causing the computer to perform a method including changing the first color designation for printing of the subset to a second color designation;

wherein the override module changes the first color designation for printing of the subset to the second color designation based on a user identification.

28. (Original) The computer system of claim 27, wherein the override module further comprises machine readable instructions for causing the computer to include sending the plurality of displayed text to a printer.

29. (Original) The computer system of claim 27, wherein the override module changes the first color designation for printing of the subset to the second color designation independent of a user input.

- 30. (Canceled)
- 31. (New) The method of claim 1, wherein changing the color of the subset for printing is based on a group identification.
- 32. (New) The method of claim 1, wherein the subset of the plurality of printable information units comprises footnote text.
- 33. (New) The method of claim 1, wherein the subset of the plurality of printable information units comprises text selected by a user, said text included in the subset without regard to text characteristics.
- 34. (New) The method of claim 4, wherein the text processing document comprises an HTML (HyperText Markup Language) file.
- 35. (New) The method of claim 4, wherein the text processing document comprises an electronic mail message.
- 36. (New) The computer readable medium of claim 12, wherein changing the color of the subset for printing is based on a group identification.
- 37. (New) The computer readable medium of claim 12, wherein the subset of the plurality of printable information units comprises footnote text.

38. (New) The computer readable medium of claim 12, wherein the subset of the plurality of printable information units comprises text selected by a user, said text included in the subset without regard to text characteristics.

- 39. (New) The computer readable medium of claim 15, wherein the text processing document comprises an HTML (HyperText Markup Language) file.
- 40. (New) The computer readable medium of claim 15, wherein the text processing document comprises an electronic mail message.
- 41. (New) The computer readable medium of claim 17, wherein the text processing document comprises an HTML (HyperText Markup Language) file.
- 42. (New) The computer readable medium of claim 17, wherein the text processing document comprises an electronic mail message.
- 43. (New) The system of claim 24, wherein the override module changes the first color of the subset based on a group identification.
- 44. (New) The system of claim 24, wherein the subset comprises footnote text.
- 45. (New) The system of claim 24, wherein the subset comprises text selected by a user, said text included in the subset without regard to text characteristics.
- 46. (New) The system of claim 24, wherein the text processing document comprises an HTML (HyperText Markup Language) document.
- 47. (New) The system of claim 24, wherein the text processing document comprises an electronic mail message.